

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:) Group Art Unit:
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Judith St. John et al.) Confirmation No.: 6456
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Serial No.: 10/591,051) Examiner:
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Filed: August 28, 2006) SUBMISSION OF MISSING PARTS
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Atty. File No.: 5161B-2-PUS)
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For: METHOD OF ISOLATING NUCLEIC
ACID TARGETS

Mail Stop Missing Parts
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed March 14, 2007, in connection with the above-identified application, enclosed for filing are a Declaration, a Petition for a Two-Month Extension of Time, a Power of Attorney and a Statement Under 37 CFR 3.73(b) . Payment in the amount of \$290.00 for payment of the surcharge and the Two-Month Extension of Time is being submitted via EFS-Web concurrently with the filing of this paper.

Respectfully submitted,

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